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RE: STB Docket No. AB-6 (Sub. No. 442X), Track Abandonment, Longmont, Boulder County

Dear Mr. Strickland:

Thank you for your recent correspondence dated 21 July 2006, concerning the proposed abandonment of 1.13 miles of trackage between Milepost 36.72 and 35.59 on the BNSF line south of Longmont. Our office has reviewed the submitted materials. Given the results of our file search, and the comments received by Longmont and Boulder County, we find that the proposed track abandonment will result in **no effect** on historic properties or cultural resources within the Area of Potential Effect.

If you have any questions, please contact Joseph Saldibar, Architectural Services Coordinator, at (303) 866-3741.

Sincerely,

For Georgianna Contiguglia

State Historic Preservation Officer, and President, Colorado Historical Society